

Amendments to the Specification:

Please insert the following two paragraphs after paragraph 18 on page 5:

--FIG. 9 is a side elevation view of another embodiment of the sweatband of FIG. 1, showing its binding adhesively secured to its inner piece.

FIG. 10 is a section view, shown partially broken away, of another embodiment of the sweatband of FIG. 1, showing the sweatband adhesively secured to the crown portion of the article of headwear.--

Please replace paragraph number 35 on page 10 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--It is to be appreciated that other methods of securing binding 38 to inner piece 32, securing the folded longitudinal edges of inner piece 32 together, and securing sweatband 24 to crown portion 22 are considered to be within the scope of the invention. For example, the elements could be secured with adhesive, such as the SewFree® product supplied by Bemis Associates Inc. of Shirley, MA. As seen in FIG. 9, binding 38 is secured to inner piece 32 with adhesive 39. As seen in FIG. 10, sweatband 24 is secured to crown portion 22 with adhesive 39.-